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09/681,975	07/02/2001	Teruhisa Kamachi	112857-249	4223

TITLE OF INVENTION: VIRTUAL-SPACE PROVIDING APPARATUS, VIRTUAL-SPACE PROVIDING SYSTEM, AND VIRTUAL-SPACE PROVIDING METHOD

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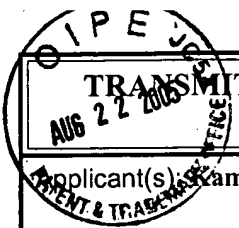
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Applicant(s): Kamachi et al.

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09/681,975	July 2, 2001	A. Sharon	29175	2123	4223

Invention: VIRTUAL=SPACE PROVIDNG APPARATUS, VIRTUAL-SPACE PROVIDING SYSTEM, AND VIRTUAL-SPACE PROVIDING METHOD

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